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In re application of

Ian SAUNDERS et al.

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Group 2886

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METHOD FOR MEASURING CONTOUR VARIATIONS

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of May 7, 2008,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing
of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

An Appendix is attached following the signature page of
this paper.